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FRANK'S PRINTING SERVICE — STATESBORO, GA.

MR. WILLIE (SAM) B. BABBS

Tuesday, October 13, 1981 — 2:30 p.m.

Tremount Temple Baptist Church

Metter, Georgia

Rev. Issiac Culbreth, Officiating

Burial — First Baptist Church Cemetery, Metter



Whitaker Funeral Home, Metter, Ga. in Charge of Arrangements

Obituary

Mr. Willie (Sam) B. Babbs was born to Mr. and Mrs. Willie Babbs, Sr. on May 5, 1938 in Lawrence County, Georgia.

Mr. Babbs was married to Miss Essie Mae Lanier. He was a member of the Macedonia Baptist Church in Moncrote, Georgia.

He is survived by his wife, Mrs. Essie Mae Lanier Babbs of Metter, Ga.; two daughters, Miss Faye Babbs of Ludowici, Ga., and Miss Linda Babbs of Claxton, Ga.; two sons, Sam Babbs, Jr. of Miami, Fla., and Stanley Babbs of Metter, Ga.; two step-daughters, Carol Mincey and Sharon Lanier both of Metter, Ga.; two step-sons, Keith Lanier of Metter, Ga., and Richard Lanier of Ft. Hood, Texas; his mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. Babbs, Sr. of Jeffersonville, Ga.; eight sisters, Mrs. Marietta Smith of Diane, Fla., Mrs. Ida Mae Fraley of Macon, Ga., Mrs. Lula Mae Jones of Macon, Ga., Miss Rosie Mae Babbs of Philadelphia, Pa., Miss Lucille Jones of Miami, Fla., Miss Willie Zale Babbs of Macon, Ga., Mrs. Gladys Johnson of Buffalo, N.Y., Mrs. Liz Dansville of Macon, Ga.; two brothers, Leo Babbs of West Hollywood, Fla., and Earnest Babbs of Dry Branch, Ga. eight grandchildren and several nieces and nephews.



When I must leave you for a little while
Please do not grieve and shed wild tears
And hug your sorrows to you through the years,
But start out bravely with a gallant smile
And for my sake and in my name
Live on and do all things the same
Feed not your loneliness on empty days:
But fill each waking hour in useful ways
Reach out your hands in comfort and in cheer,
And I in turn will comfort you and hold you near;
And never, never be afraid to die,
For I am waiting for you in the sky!

Order of Service

PROCESSIONAL

SONG Choir

SCRIPTURE Minister

INVOCATION Minister

SONG Choir

REMARKS Volunteer

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS ... Staff of Whitaker Funeral Home

EULOGY Rev. Issiac Culbreth

VIEWING

RECESSIONAL

Pallbearers

FRIENDS



Perhaps you sent food or a spray
Or sat quietly in a chair
Perhaps you sent a card or gram
If so, it is here
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words
As any friend could say
Perhaps you were not there at all
Just thought of us today
Whatever you did to console our hearts
We thank you so much whatever your part.